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- (1) Specification (11 pages including title page; claims & abstract)
- (2) THREE (3) sheets of FORMAL Drawings (Figs. 1-4)
- (3) Declaration and Power of Attorney
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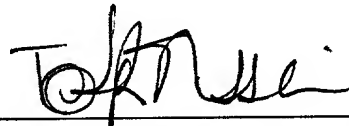
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